



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of:
Mark Leslie Smythe *et al.*

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For: SYNTHESIS OF CYCLIC PEPTIDES

§ Confirmation Number: 3406

§ Examiner: Kam, Chih Min

§ Group Art Unit: 1656

§ Attorney Docket No.: **36677.29**
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1. AMENDMENT; 2. RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED DECEMBER 2, 2005

Mail Stop Amendment
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The Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the following amendment. A response to the Official Action in the present application, dated December 2, 2005 ("the Action"), for which the first date for response was March 2, 2006, is also submitted, and the Examiner is requested to consider the remarks therein. A Petition for an Extension of Time of Three Months to and including June 2, 2006, which is within the statutory period of reply, is included to render the amendment and response timely submitted.

Applicants believe that the present materials place the claims in condition for allowance, and re-examination and reconsideration is respectfully requested on this basis.

Should any fees be deemed necessary for any reason in connection with the present submission, including the Extension of Time Fee, the Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct any necessary amounts from Deposit Account No. 08-1394, Order No. 36677.29.